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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) AND M.P.E.P. §1308**

Sir/Madam:

Applicants hereby petition for withdrawal of the above-identified application from issue under 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2). The withdrawal from issue is requested to permit consideration of the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Information Disclosure Statement citing additional prior art. Withdrawal from issue is respectfully requested.

The enclosed check comprises the petition fee of \$130 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h) and the Request for Continued Examiner fee of \$770 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). If the amount is insufficient, The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50/2762.

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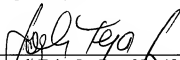
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The Office is requested to telephone Applicants' undersigned counsel at the number given below if any questions should arise in connection with this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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